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NOT LONG AGO IN ANOTHER DIMENSION PARALLEL TO EARTH'S, SONIC THE HEDGEHOG CHARGED INTO DR. EGGMAN'S CONTROL CENTER TO THWART THE EVIL GENIUS'S NEFARIOUS SCHEME TO USE THE SEVEN CHAOS EMERALDS TO CROWN HIMSELF EMPEROR OF THE GALAXY. DURING THE BATTLE, AN EXPLOSION HURLED SONIC, HIS FRIENDS, DR. EGGMAN, AND THE CHAOS EMERALDS ACROSS DIMENSIONS UNTIL THEY FOUND THEMSELVES IN THE CITY OF STATION SQUARE ON PLANET EARTH.

NOW SONIC AND HIS FRIENDS LIVE IN A MANSION OWNED BY THE PARENTS OF YOUNG CHRISTOPHER THORNDYKE AND PROTECT THEIR ADOPTED PLANET FROM DR. EGGMAN'S DIABOLICAL PLOTS WHILE TRYING TO FIND THEIR WAY HOME...

I HATE THE BEACH!

FIELD TRIP OF DOOM!

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LAST WEEK IT WAS *SHARKS* AND *DRAGONBOTS**...

*AND BURIED TREASURE. IF YOU HAVEN'T READ LAST MONTH'S ISSUE, WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR? WE'LL BE WAITING FOR YOU WHEN YOU GET BACK.

THIS WEEK IT'S *KILLER WHALES* AND *KID-NAPPING*.

BUT I PROMISED *CREAM* I'D RESCUE *CHEESE*, SO I'D BETTER *POUR* ON THE SPEED!

BOOM!

BOOM!

BOOM!

BOOM!

BOOM!

HA HA HA HA HA!

LOOK AT SONIC RUN! THE *FOOL*...

... HE HAS NO IDEA WHAT'S *REALLY* GOING ON!

NEITHER DO WE, *DR. EGGMAN.*

WHY *DID* YOU KIDNAP CREAM'S *CHAO?*

THOSE TRAPS ARE BARELY SLOWING SONIC DOWN.

DECOE AND *BOCOE*, WHERE DID I GO *WRONG* PROGAMMING YOU?

IT'S TIME I TOOK YOU BACK TO SCHOOL!

NOW PAY ATTENTION!

THERE *WILL* BE A *QUIZ* LATER!

Aa Bb

I'M MERELY KEEPING SONIC *DISTRACTED* WHILE I PUT MY *MASTER PLAN* INTO MOTION!

MEANWHILE, IN THE POLICE GARAGE THAT IS HOME TO THE SPEED TEAM...

I'M TIRED OF SONIC STEALING ALL MY THUNDER, DAWN.

I USED TO BE THE FASTEST MAN IN STATION SQUARE UNTIL HE SHOWED UP.

YOU GOTTA ADMIT IT, SAM--SONIC IS PRETTY COOL.

HEY, SAM. THERE'S SOME KID IN A FUNKY COSTUME AT THE DOOR. HE SAYS HE HAS A PACKAGE FOR YOU.

THANKS, PAUL.

HEY! THAT'S NO KID IN A COSTUME! THAT'S DR. EGGMAN'S DELIVERY BOT, BOKKUN!

SPECIAL DELIVERY FOR MR. SAM SPEED.

WHAT IS IT?

A NEW FUEL INJECTOR GUARANTEED TO MAKE YOUR CAR FASTER THAN SONIC THE HEDGEHOG.

EXCELLENT!

CHECK THIS OUT! A NEW FUEL INJECTOR.

WHO SENT IT TO YOU?

OH! I DIDN'T ASK!

BOOM!

WHAT THE--?

MEANWHILE, BACK ON THE BEACH...

YIKES! AN A-MACE-ING GRAZE!

WASPS? I HAVEN'T SEEN THESE SINCE THE GREEN HILL DAYS...

...EGGMAN'S GOING OLD SCHOOL.

PIRANHAS! THEY CAN'T BE GOOD FOR MY SNEAKERS!

GOTTA GO FAST, GOTTA GO FAST, GOTTA GO FASTER!

SHEEEESH! TALK ABOUT BAD BREATH!

WHILE SONIC DODGES TRAPS LEFT AND RIGHT, BOKKUN DISTRIBUTES MORE GIFTS FROM HIS BOSS...

... FOR THE PRESIDENT...

NEW CHAIR FOR YOU, MR. PRESIDENT.

THAT SURE WAS SOME STRANGE LOOKIN' KID!

... FOR GOVERNMENT AGENT TOPAZ...

A NEW COMPUTER FROM ROUGE THE BAT!

To TOPAZ from ROUGE

... AND FOR CHRIS THORNDYKE'S TEACHER (WHO IS ALSO AN UNDERCOVER GOVERNMENT AGENT) MR. STUART.

WOW. THAT'S A LOT OF FRUIT!

hee hee hee hee hee

"WHILE SONIC IS DOING HIS *ACCURSED DO-GOODER ACT...*

"... I DISPATCHED BOKKUN TO VISIT SOME OF SONIC'S FRIENDS.

"YOU SEE, THE KOMODO DRAGONS I USED IN MY DRAGONBOTS *FAILED UTTERLY,** BUT THEY HAVE INSPIRED *AN EVEN MORE CUNNING PLAN!*

**DO WE HAVE TO TELL YOU AGAIN THAT THIS HAPPENED LAST ISSUE?*

"MY NEXT GENERATION OF ROBOTS WILL BE PILOTED BY THE MOST *FEROCIOUS ANIMALS* ON THIS PATHETIC PLANET-- *HUMAN BEINGS!*"

OKAY, EVERYBODY OUT! YOU'RE *FREE!*

CHAO CHAO!

"NOT JUST *ANY* HUMAN BEINGS, BUT *SONIC'S OWN FRIENDS!*"

HUMANS ARE *FAR MORE VICIOUS* WHEN IN BATTLE THAN BUNNIES OR DUCKIES OR EVEN KOMODO DRAGONS. THEY WILL MAKE THE PERFECT BRAINS FOR MY NEXT GENERATION OF ROBOTS.

ALL THE PIECES ARE NOW IN PLACE-- THE GIFTS, THE FIELD TRIP, THE NEW BOTS! THIS PLAN *CAN'T* FAIL!

NOW PUT YOUR PENCILS DOWN, CLASS. IT'S TIME FOR YOUR *POP* QUIZ!

HAHAHA HAHA HAHA!

LATER THAT AFTERNOON, AT THE THORNDYKE MANSION WHERE SONIC AND HIS FRIENDS LIVE AT THE INVITATION OF YOUNG CHRIS THORNDYKE...

THANKS FOR RESCUING CHEESE, SONIC.

IT'S JUST PART OF BEING A *HERO*, CREAM...

...BUT EGGMAN MUST HAVE KNOWN THOSE *LAME TRAPS* COULDN'T STOP *ME*. I JUST WONDER WHAT HE'S REALLY UP TO.

GRANDPA! GRANDPA!

WHAT'S WRONG, CHRIS?

OUR CLASS HAS BEEN INVITED TO A *SPECIAL FIELD TRIP* TO THE *STATION SQUARE SPACE MUSEUM* ON MONDAY!

WILL YOU SIGN MY *PERMISSION SLIP*, GRANDPA?

OF COURSE, CHRIS.

CAN WE GO TOO, CHRIS?

IT'S JUST FOR THE KIDS IN MY CLASS...

... BUT THERE'S NO REASON WHY YOU CAN'T *MEET ME AT THE MUSEUM!*

COOL!

MONDAY MORNING, THE DAY OF CHRIS' BIG FIELD TRIP...

THE BUS IS WAITING FOR US IN THE PARKING LOT. MAKE SURE TO BRING YOUR *NOTEBOOKS* AND *LUNCHES*.

YES, MR. STEWART!

SPEAKING OF LUNCH...

I WONDER WHO THIS *DR. OEUF-HOMME* IS AND WHY HE INVITED US TO THE SPACE MUSEUM...

I CAN'T HELP THINKING THAT SOMETHING *SINISTER* IS AFOOT...

STATION SQUARE SPACE MUSEUM

I WONDER WHEN CHRIS AND HIS CLASS WILL GET HERE.

SOON, I HOPE. WAITING HERE IS BORING.

I COULD WAIT ANYWHERE WITH YOU, SONIC, FOR *HOURS AND HOURS*.

WHY CAN'T YOU FEEL THE SAME WAY *ABOUT ME?*

ALL RIGHT, KIDS. WE'RE HERE.

PLEASE FILE OUT OF THE BUS AND INTO THE MUSEUM IN A *CALM AND ORDERLY FASHION*...

YAY!
I WANNA SEE THE LUNAR MODULE!
JOHN GLENN!
LAST ONE IN IS A ROTTEN EGGMAN!
NEIL ARMSTRONG!
I GOTTA USE THE BATHROOM!

SECRET MISSIONS FOR THE GOVERNMENT ARE MUCH LESS DANGEROUS THAN A *BUSLOAD OF SCHOOL KIDS!*

HAH HAH! LITTLE DO THOSE *NINCOMPOOPS* KNOW HOW LITTLE TIME THEY HAVE LEFT!

BY THE END OF TODAY, SONIC AND HIS PALS SHALL *VEX ME NO MORE!*

AS CHRIS AND HIS CLASS EXPLORE THE MUSEUM...

...DR. EGGMAN PRESSES A BUTTON THAT SETS THE NEXT STEP OF HIS MACHIAVELLIAN MACHINATIONS INTO MOTION!

PRESS!

ISN'T THIS PLACE COOL?

CRASH!

WHAT'S THAT?!

EGGMAN'S BOTS!

WAAAAAH! IS THIS GONNA BE ON THE FINAL EXAM?

NO *ADMITTANCE* TO THE MUSEUM WITHOUT THE PROPER DONATION!

NEVER UNDERESTIMATE A FOX WITH A *POWERTOOL!*

WE'RE GONNA SEND YOU TO YOUR *FINAL FRONTIER!*

HIIII-YAAAAA!

KA-KLANG!

WHIRRRR

MAYBE WE CAN TALK ABOUT THIS...?

HEADS I WIN, TAILS YOU LOSE!

UNSCREW!

HEH. LET'S MAKE IT BEST TWO OUT OF THREE!

CRUNCH

KRUNK!

GOTTA ACT FAST BEFORE ANY OF THE KIDS GETS HURT!

SONIC! LOOK OUT!

WHAT DOES SHE THINK I'M DOING?

ATTENTION ALL UNITS! THE STATION SQUARE SPACE MUSEUM IS UNDER ATTACK BY ROBOTS! ALL AVAILABLE UNITS TO RESPOND IMMEDIATELY!

LOOKS LIKE WE FINISHED INSTALLING THAT NEW FUEL INJECTOR JUST IN TIME!

SHOULDN'T YOU TEST IT FIRST?

THERE'S NO TIME.

I HOPE HE KNOWS WHAT HE'S DOING!

MY NEPHEW CHRIS IS AT THE MUSEUM TODAY WITH HIS CLASS.

VROOOOOOOOOMM!

"AND I'M NOT GOING TO LET ANYTHING HAPPEN TO HIM!"

WHIRRR!

BAD ROBOT!

I DO NOT YIELD THE FLOOR TO YOU!

KLANG!

AMY! CHRIS!

THE FLOOR!

KRUMBLE

NO!

AAAAHHHH!

THIS DOES NOT COMPUTE!

SONIC, CATCH!

GOT IT, PAL! THANKS!

K-THO

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YOU CAN SHOOT YOUR *DEATH RAYS* AT ME *SOME OTHER TIME.*

I'VE GOTTA HELP CHRIS AND AMY!

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CHRIS! AMY! ARE YOU OKAY DOWN THERE?

GET US OUT OF HERE!

HELP!

TAILS, YOU HELP AMY AND CHRIS!

I'VE GOT TO RESCUE DANIEL AND FRANCINE!

HAHAHAHAHA!

HERE COMES SAM SPEED NOW! THIS IS GOING EVEN BETTER THAN I IMAGINED!

THOSE SPEED FREAKS ARE IN FOR THE SURPRISE OF THEIR LIVES!

NOW IT'S MY TURN TO BE THE HERO AGAIN!

HANG ON, KIDS! HELP IS ON THE WAY!

SAM AND SONIC PURSUE EGGMAN'S ROBOT THROUGH STATION SQUARE, FOLLOWING IT TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE CITY.

VROOOOOOM!

VROOOOOOM!

THE FUEL INJECTOR IS WORKING! I'M GOING *FASTER* THAN SONIC!

I'LL BE STATION SQUARE'S HERO ONCE AGAIN!

SKREEEEECH!

OH NO! I'M GOING TOO *FAST!*

I CAN'T MAKE THE CURVE!

CRASH!

FWOOMP!

THAT *PARACHUTE* WILL SAVE SAM.

I'VE GOT TO *RESCUE DANIEL AND FRANCINE!*

MEANWHILE...

AND NOW I PRESS THE FINAL BUTTON THAT WILL *ENSURE* SONIC'S DOOM!

HAHAHAHAHAHA!

WHAT...

...IS...

...HAPPENING...

...TO...

...ME?!

IT'S A GOOD THING I STILL HAD THIS RING WITH ME!

SONIC SPIN MODE NOW!

BOOM!

BOOM!

BOOM!

HELP!

KRASH!

RIIP!

HOP ABOARD, GUYS!

KRACK-HOOM!

THANKS, SONIC!

THIS IS SO COOL!

CAN'T... BREAK... FREE...

MMMMPH! MMMPHH!

...OOEY GOOEY INSIDE!

bloop

bloop

bloop

KLANG!

CRUNCHY OUTSIDE...

THAT THING'S *DOWN FOR THE COUNT.*

NOW WE HAVE TO FIND CHRIS.

UH-- AMY...?

TARGETS IN RANGE. ARMING MISSILES.

AS AMY AND TAILS REACT WITH SHOCK TO THE NEW HORROR THEY FACE, SONIC RETURNS TO THE SPACE MUSEUM...

IS THIS EVERYBODY?

CHRIS THORNDYKE AND MR. STEWART ARE STILL INSIDE!

MY SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS WERE NEVER THIS COOL!

YOU LOOK AFTER THESE TWO...

...I'VE GOTTA GET INSIDE TO MAKE SURE MY FRIENDS ARE OKAY.

GANGWAY!

RUMBBLE!

NOW WHAT?!

THAT'S IT. THIS BOT IS *TOAST.*

TARGET ACQUIRED.

MISSILES ARMED.

MMMPH! MMMMMPHHM!

MISSILE LAUNCH SEQUENCE INITIATED. SECONDS TO LAUNCH: 10... 9... 8...

SECONDS TO LAUNCH: 7... 6... 5...

I'M GONNA SEND THIS BOT TO SPACE AND BEYOND!

ISN'T THIS *DELICIOUS?*

THE LUNARBOT WILL *CRUSH* SONIC...

...BECAUSE SONIC *WON'T DARE SEND THIS BOT TO SPACE* **OR** *BEYOND* WHEN HE LEARNS HIS FRIEND *CHRIS* IS TRAPPED INSIDE.

THIS PLAN CAN'T FAIL!

HA HA HA HA HA HA!

TO BE CONTINUED...